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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT AND VEGETABLE REPORT

SALES TO 8 A.M. TODAY ON THE WHOLESALE FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES. UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED ALL QUOTATIONS ARE ON STOCK OF GOOD MERCHANTABLE QUALITY AND CONDITION.

CARLOT ARRIVALS RECEIVED IN COLUMBUS 8 A.M.

Apples	Washington	1
Cabbage	Texas	2
Carrots	California	1
Celery	Florida	2
Kale	Virginia	1
Lemons	California	1
Lettuce	Arizona	1
	California	1
Oranges	Florida	5
Potatoes	Idaho	1
	Indiana	2
	Maine	1
Tomatoes	Florida	1
Vegetables	Texas	1

APPLES: Per bushel, New Jersey, Ohio or New York, Greening, Stayman Pine-sap, York, Rome Beauty, 3.37-4.05, de-pending on weight, based at ceiling price of 8 7/16¢ per lb., poor quality lower.

ASPARAGUS: Per 30 lb. crate, California 8.50-9.00.

AVOCADOS: Per box, Florida, 2.50-3.00

BANANAS: In cartons, per 40 lb. carton, 3.70.

BEANS: Per bushel hamper, Florida, better quality 4.25-4.75, poor quality lower.

BEETS: Per crate, 3 dozen bunches, 2.00-2.50. Topped, per 50 lb. sack, 1.75-2.00.

BROCCOLI: Per crate, California, 6.50.

CABBAGE: Per 50 lb. sack, Texas or Florida, 1.75-2.00, few 2.25.

CARROTS: Bunched, Texas, 6 dozen, 3.50-4.00. Topped, per 50 lb. sack, 1.85-2.25.

CAULIFLOWER: Per crate, California, 3.25-3.40.

CELERY: California, cub crate, Pascal 2.40-2.65. Florida, wirebound crate white, 3.75-4.25. Pascal, 4.00-4.50.

CUCUMBERS: Ohio, hothouse, per dozen, 2.00-2.25.

GRAPEFRUIT: Per wirebound box, size 54s to 80s, Marsh Seedless, 3.50-4.00. Florida, 3.00-3.25. Per standard box Arizona, 3.75.

GREENS: Per bushel, Texas, Spinach, 1.75-2.00. Collards, Turnip Tops, Mustard, 1.50-1.75. Kale, 1.15-1.35.

LEMONS: California, better quality box of 300 to 360, 6.75-7.25.

LETTUCE: Iceberg type, Western, per crate of 4 to 5 dozen sizes, 4.35-4.75, few at 5.00, poor quality lower, supply moderate.

MUSHROOMS: Per pint, .30 - .35.

ONIONS: Dry, per 50 lb. sack, Yellow, Idaho, Colorado, large, 3.05. Ohio Michigan, Indiana, Yellow Globe, 2.65, supply limited.

ONION SETS: Per 32 lb. sack, 6.80.

ORANGES: Per box, California, 5.50-6.00 supply limited. Florida, wirebound box, Pineapples, 3.75-4.25, some higher.

PEPPERS: Florida, per bushel basket, 3.50-4.00

PINEAPPLES: Cuban, per crate of 18-20, 8.00-8.50.

POTATOES: Per 100 lb. sack, Round White, Maine, 3.00-3.25, few higher, poor quality lower. Russets Idaho, 3.75-4.00. Michigan Russets, 2.75-3.00. New Bliss Triumphs per 50 lb. sack, Florida, U. S. No. 1, 3.50-4.00.

RADISHES: Texas, per crate of about 85 bunches, 3.25-3.50.

SHALLOTS: Louisiana, per dozen bunches, 1.25-1.30.

STRAWBERRIES: Louisiana, per pint, .32 - .35.

SWEET POTATOES: Yams, Tennessee or Louisiana, per crate, 4.00-4.50. Per bushel, Nancy Halls, 3.25-3.50.

TOMATOES: Florida, repacks, per 10 lb. carton, 2.25-2.50.

TURNIPS: Texas, Topped, per 50 lb. sack, 1.50-1.75.

OHIO PRODUCE ON LOCAL MARKET
Quotations Based on Jobbing Prices

APPLES: Per bushel basket, Baldwin Rome Beauty, Stayman Pine-saps, Yorks, 3.37-4.05, depending on weight, based at ceiling price of 8 7/16¢ per lb., poor quality lower.

CARROTS: Topped, per 16 qt. basket, .75 - 1.10.

CUCUMBERS: Hothouse, per dozen, 2.15-2.40.

LETTUCE: Leaf, per 10 lb. basket, hothouse, 1.25-1.40, supply moderate.

PARSNIPS: Per 8 qt. basket, .75-.85

RHUBARB: Per dozen bunches, .90-1.15

TURNIPS: Topped, per 12 or 16 qt. basket, .85 - 1.00.



BUTTER - CREAMERY Wholesale ceilings as quoted by Columbus dealers.

Grade A Wood Tubs	.4396
Lb. Parchment Prints	.4471
Cartoned Quarters	.4546
Grade B Wood Tubs	.4346
Lb. Parchment Prints	.4421
Cartoned Quarters	.4496

EGGS - Buying Price, cases exchanged

Ungraded Farm Receipts	.28 - .29
Grade C Eggs	.26 - .27
Cracks & Seconds	.25 - .26

Gov't graded eggs - Net price paid producers f.o.b. Columbus, cases exchanged

U. S. Grade A large, brown	.32	White	.33
U. S. A medium	.27		.28
U. S. A small	.21		.22
U. S. B large	.30		.31
U. S. B medium	.26		.27
U. S. B small	.21		.22

POULTRY - Priced in cents per pound, f.o.b. Columbus, Ohio.

ITEM	Current Quotations by Columbus Dealers				O. P. A. Ceiling Prices			
	Prices paid Prod- ucer	Wholesale Prices to Retailers			Prices paid Prod- ucer	Price to Retailers		
	Live Weight	Live Weight	Packer dress- ed	Table dress- ed	Live Weight	Live Weight	Packer dress- ed	Table dress- ed
Broilers & Fryers Under 4 lbs.	.25-.29		.37	.43-.47	28.1	29.6	37.1	47.6
Roasters 4 lbs. & over	.27-.28			.43-.45	28.1	29.6	37.1	45.6
Capons Under 6 lbs.					28.1	29.6	37.1	45.6
6 lbs. & over					31.6	33.1	40.1	48.1
Fowl, Hens All weights	.18-.24		.33	.38-.43	24.6	26.1	33.1	41.1
Stags & Old Roosters All weights	.14 - .20		.28	.31-.35	20.6	22.1	28.6	35.1
Geese All weights					25.6	27.1	31.1	44.6
Turkeys, Young Under 18 lbs.	.34½			.50	33.6	37.1	41.1	52.1
18-22 lbs.					34.1	35.6	39.6	49.6
22 lbs. & over					33.1	34.6	38.6	47.6
Turkeys, Old Under 18 lbs.					33.6	35.1	39.1	50.1
18-22 lbs.					32.1	33.6	37.6	47.6
22 lbs. & over					31.1	32.6	36.6	45.6
Ducks, All weights					25.0	26.5	29.2	40.7
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